



BREMERTON

ESTD 1988

PULL THE CORK

NEWSLETTER 2016



It's our life.

LUCY & TOM ON TOUR

Firstly, Let me introduce the other character for this tale... Tom Keelan.

Many of you would know, Tom is my brother in law and used to manage the Bremerton vineyards. Tom now works full-time on his own wine label from the Adelaide Hills, The Pawn Wine Company. To mix things up a bit, The Pawn Wine Co and Bremerton recently teamed up and pedalled our wares for two weeks across the UK and Europe.

It was a new (almost daunting) experience heading off on a two week trip with just my brother-in-law. I'm not sure why I felt that way, as the result was more like a TV soap comedy than a work trip!

As part of the tour we held two tightly fought Brother V's Sister wine dinners. We paired our wines against each other throughout dinner and had the guests vote on the best match for each course. The first dinner was at The Apartment Bistro in Edinburgh organised by our friends from Great Grog, and the other was in Saffron Walden and organised by a great supporter of ours, The Cheddar Vine. I am very pleased to say Bremerton won the first fight and we were in the lead at the second dinner, however, we didn't actually get to the final vote. In order to get some closure, I am just going to take it as a comprehensive win to Bremerton; 2-0!

After criss-crossing the UK, we had a quick 24 hour stop in Berlin for a tasting and dinner. This was made all the more interesting by having to navigate the Berlin Roller Blade marathon - yes that is a real thing! The following morning it took three attempts to find a "roadblock-free" way to the airport as the 'real' marathon was on! Eventually we headed off to Oslo and then Helsinki for some fantastic trade tastings with Wine Australia.

Whilst our trip was very entertaining and fun, one of the best parts was seeing that after a slump for the last few years it seems Aussie Wine is on the comeback trail! The appetite from people for new wines, new stories and a new Australian offering was enormous and so exciting to see. We are now working together with people in these markets to take Bremerton to places it hasn't been before!

On that positive note, as we head into this festive season, we wish you all a safe and happy Christmas and New Year. May you be surrounded by family, friends, good food and always have a bottle of Bremerton in tow!

Cheers,
Lucy Willson
Co-General Manager

WINE SHOW AWARDS

AUSTRALIAN ALTERNATIVE VARIETIES:

**GOLD - 2014 SPECIAL RELEASE
MOURVEDRE**

**SILVER - 2015 SPECIAL RELEASE
GRACIANO**

LANGHORNE CREEK WINE SHOW :

**BEST SPARKLING, WHITE OR ROSÉ
2015 RACY ROSÉ**

BEST MALBEC

2014 SPECIAL RELEASE MALBEC

ROYAL ADELAIDE WINE SHOW:

GOLD - 2016 SPECIAL RELEASE FIANO

AUSTRALIAN ITALIAN VARIETIES:

GOLD - 2016 SPECIAL RELEASE FIANO

NEWS FROM THE WINERY



Spring has finally sprung! Well, it's teasing us anyway.

This is well overdue not only for our grape growing season but also for our souls! Sunshine is the best medicine in the world.

Speaking of vineyards, we have had above average rainfall leading into the growing season, so now we have healthy full soil moisture and budburst tracking a little later than previous years.

With great timing for the rainfall we have installed a new 250kl rainwater tank and UV filtration system which makes the Matilda Plains winery site self sufficient in water supply. We have a very large roof catchment area and this tank was

installed in July and is already overflowing. We have even filled most of the fermenters in the winery so as not to waste this precious resource.

The winery is in full blending mode, with barrels and parcels of wine finding their way to the 2015 blends of Tambllyn, Coulthard and Selkirk. What a wonderful job we have - tasting barrels all day and deciding on their final destination. Sometimes I have to pinch myself to remind me its work!

Enjoy the warmer weather as we lead into Christmas and vintage, and keep an eye out for our new releases.

Cheers,
Rebecca Willson

SAME GREAT FLAVOUR - SWEET NEW LOOK!

The colouring in department has been busy again, and this time the focus is on our fortified range. We have freshened up the Mistelle label and given this light dessert wine a sweet new look just in time for Christmas. Gold and metallic foiling has been incorporated into the design - the result... a clean and bright appearance with a contemporary finish. Rest assured we haven't altered the great taste of this barrel aged beauty. Enjoy it as an aperitif or to compliment your Christmas desserts. Up next is Ciel. Watch this space...



WHERE TO ENJOY A GLASS OF BREMERTON THIS FESTIVE SEASON

- ACT - Charcoal Restaurant, London Circuit Canberra
- NSW - North Bondi Fish, North Bondi
Byron Bay Beach Hotel, Byron Bay
Il Corso Restaurant, Wagga Wagga
- QLD - Fritzenberger, Paddington, QLD
- SA- Spargo's Cafe/Wine Bar, Marion
Whistlestop Café, Goolwa
Southern Ocean Lodge, Kangaroo Island
- VIC - Hunter's Kitchen and Bar,
The Goat In The Boat, Phillip Island
- WA - Gramercy Bar & Kitchen, Central Park

**CHECK OUT OUR
LUXE NEW LETTERPRESS
GIFT VOUCHERS**



Created by our very clever cousin, Jacob from Stobie Town Press

CHRISTMAS MADE EASY WITH A BREMERTON HAMPER

Spoil family, friends, colleagues & clients with a Bremerton hamper this Christmas.

Customise your own or choose from our designs ranging from \$20 to \$300.
We can deliver Australia wide with a personalised note.

Contact the office today on (08) 85 373 093 to order one or one hundred and get your Christmas shopping done with one call - it's the perfect solution.



TOP 4 PICKS FOR CHRISTMAS

Take your pick - we have wrapped up our entire range, so there is something for everyone... A wine to suit all tastes and for every occasion this festive season.

ALL PACK PRICES INCLUDE DELIVERY AUSTRALIA WIDE

Special Release Pack

2 x 2016 'Special Release' Vermentino 2 x 2016 'Special Release' Fiano
 2 x 2015 'Special Release' Tempranillo/Graciano 2 x 2014 'Special Release' Malbec
 2 x 2014 'Special Release' Mourvedre 2 x 2014 'Special Release' Lagrein

Special price \$279 / Wine Society price \$223.20

For the Red Lover

2 x 2013 Tamblyn 2 x 2014 Coulthard
 2 x 2014 Selkirk 2 x 2015 Tempranillo/Graciano
 2 x 2014 Malbec 2 x 2014 Lagrein

Special price \$260 / Wine Society price \$208

For the Shiraz Lover

5 x 2014 Selkirk
 5 x 2014 Bâtonnage Shiraz / Malbec
 2 x 2013 Old Adam Shiraz

Special price \$370 / Wine Society price \$296

For the White Lover

3 x 2016 Betty & Lu Sauvignon Blanc 3 x 2016 Mollie & Merle Verdelho
 2 x 2016 'Special Release' Fiano 2 x 2016 'Special Release' Vermentino
 2 x 2014 Bâtonnage Chardonnay

Special price \$255 / Wine Society price \$204

These special offers and free freight valid until 24th December 2016

RECEIVE YOUR WINE IN TIME FOR CHRISTMAS
 ENSURE YOU PLACE YOUR ORDER BEFORE
 WEDNESDAY 7TH DECEMBER 2016 FOR
 GUARANTEED CHRISTMAS DELIVERY

WHAT ARE THEY SAYING?

2016 BETTY & LU SAUVIGNON BLANC


"...if you enjoy wines with bright, tropical fruit salad freshness, lively acidity and plenty of length, then this is an ideal summer quaffer for you. Pure and refreshing, this can be partnered with everything from a chicken sandwich to a seafood platter. Great value, too."

Winsor Dobbin

2014 SPECIAL RELEASE MALBEC

"...bright with royal purple colours, lifted pink and blue winter florals (blackcurrant flower and violet) and an enticing white pepper spicing. These weave in with blueberry flavours while the mouthfeel is sticky and tight with tannins."

Tony Love - The Adelaide Advertiser

Langhorne Creek Wine Show - TROPHY GOLD 

2012 WALTER'S CABERNET

"...Very deep, dark red colour with a purple tinge. The bouquet is colossally oaky, with mocha, creosote, even anchovy notes, and traces of coconut. A whiff of peppermint. It's very full-bodied and dense, rich and plushy, with lashings of tannins. A very big, richly fruited wine, which has been built for the long haul. Cellar it!"

Huon Hooke

2014 SPECIAL RELEASE LAGREIN

"...hints of spice, freshly cut fennel, 'old Jamaican' chocolate, liquorice, violets and vanillin oak with notes of polished leather and light amaro herbs. I reckon this would pretty much be the perfect pasta/pizza wine to enjoy with friends over warmer months and it's a wine that provides plenty of enjoyment for the price."

Dave Brooks - The Adelaide Review

THE UK CHRISTMAS



Need to send a Christmas or New Year gift to the UK?

We have the answer! We have put together a Bremerton mixed 6 pack which we can deliver to their door with a personal message. Simply fill in your details on the UK Wine offer insert and email/fax/mail it back to us or give us a call. Simple as that!

Phone us on (08) 8537 3093



Price: £85.50

(approx AU\$138.88)
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 MAINLAND DELIVERY.

1 x Matilda Plains White

1 x Matilda Plains Red

1 x Mollie & Merle Verdelho

1 x Coulthard Cabernet

1 x Racy Rosé

1 x Selkirk Shiraz



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Langhorne Creek is less than an hour from Adelaide via Mt Barker. If you're travelling from the eastern states it's a great alternative route to Adelaide, the Fleurieu Peninsula or even Kangaroo Island.

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WHY IT'S WORTH THE TRIP!

We are more than just a cellar door! Open 7 days a week, 10am – 5pm, and here are just a few excuses for you to visit:

- We are closer than you think – only 50 minutes from Adelaide;
- Our regionally inspired menu is available 7 days a week (bookings recommended);
- Our exhibition space features new local artists every 6 weeks;
- We have over 50 types of local and SA produce available;
- We serve a great espresso all day;
- For the great selection of gifts we offer – wine accessories, glassware, merchandise, woodwork and gift packs;
- Trip Advisor rated us the #1 attraction in Langhorne Creek;
- The host of B&B accommodation options in the region for you to stay.

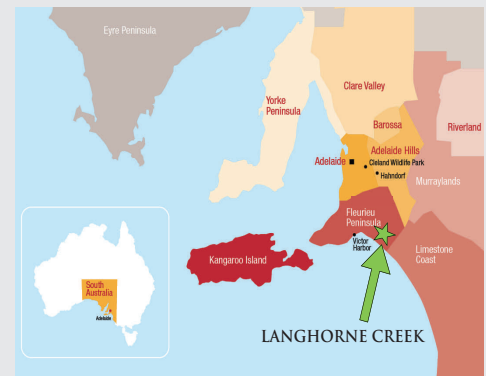
So what are you waiting for? Make the trip, taste our award winning wines, stay for lunch, meet the cellar door team and experience Bremerton – **it's our life!**

BRING THE KIDS!

Bremerton is and always has been a family affair. Our child friendly facilities mean you can relax with a glass of wine while the kids investigate the toy box. For the littlies, our kid zone is packed full of games, colouring in activities and toys while for the big kids, let them loose on the lush lawns to kick around the balls or play croquet. Our kids menu means the whole family can stay for lunch. The kids' pizza options are a favourite. So don't leave the kids cooped up at home, get some quality family time whilst doing what you love!



Raspberry & Nutella pizza



KEEP US UPDATED SO WE CAN
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Have you recently changed your email or postal address?

In order for us to keep you updated with the latest news, releases and specials simply send your changes through to us

info@bremerton.com.au or go online to www.bremerton.com.au and update your profile! We don't want you to miss out!

LET'S BE SOCIAL

A great way to keep connected with all things Bremerton is by checking in with us on Facebook, Instagram and Twitter! You will find daily stories, pics and updates on all things happening around cellar door and at the winery.

Simply search for Bremerton to stay up to date.

Thank you to all our customers who have reviewed their Bremerton visit on Trip Advisor. Check it out at www.tripadvisor.com.au and add your review.

BREMERTON WINE SOCIETY

Rebecca and Lucy hand select the packs for our wine club members...and now the club, the packs and the experience just got better!

Everyone has their own tastes, and that's something we're passionate believers in, so we have introduced some new club options. In addition to the Red and Mixed selections, our members can now choose from a White, Special Release and Premium selection. As a club member exclusive, we unlock the cellar and release a selection of museum wines on the second Wednesday of every month.

Another exclusive is our Long Table lunches. A concept we initiated to bring together great wine, food and conversation continues to book out months in advance. Members and their guests also have the opportunity to access some of the past vintages enjoyed on the day. Keep your eye out for our 2017 dates which will be released soon.

To update your details or to change your selections, log on at www.bremerton.com.au or call the office on (08) 8537 3093. We thank you for all your continuing support.

PLANNING AN OVERNIGHT STAY? CHECK OUT D&D'S PLACE!

Word is out – Langhorne Creek has a new accommodation plot! D&D's place is a 3 bedroom abode offering all the creature comforts and can sleep up to 9 people. Donna and Dave are here to make your stay a memorable one and help you out with local bookings, events and tours! Find them on Facebook [@ddsplacelanghornecreek](https://www.facebook.com/ddsplacelanghornecreek) or email ddsplacelanghornecreek@gmail.com and book your visit to the Langhorne Creek wine region today!



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